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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Kimb rly and Zhou
Serial No.: 10/041,663
Filed January 10, 2002
For: B-LYMPHOCYTE STIMULATOR (BLyS) AS A MARKER IN MANAGEMENT
OF SYSTEMIC LUPUS ERYTHEMATOSUS

THIS IS NOT A NEW PATENT APPLICATION

LETTER SUBMITTING DOCUMENTS FOR COMPLETION OF AN APPLICATION
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.53 (d)

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The application papers for the above-identified application were originally filed on January 10, 2002 and assigned Serial No. 10/041,663.

Under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.41(c) and 1.53(d), attached hereto are the following documents:

Signed Declaration and Power of Attorney
The Notification to File Missing Parts
A check as indicated below.

Applicant hereby claims status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27 (Non-profit)

The Government Filing Surcharge in accordance with 37 CFR 1.16(e) is calculated as **\$65.00**.

Applicant requests an extension of time of **one month**. The fee therefore is **\$55.00**.

The application as filed contains the following claims:

9 total claims. Fee: **\$370.00**
There are no excess independent claims.

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Attached is a check for the amount of **\$490.00**. If further fees are payable, the commissioner is authorized to debit **Deposit Account 08-1652** in the amount required to fully pay all fees.

Respectfully Submitted;

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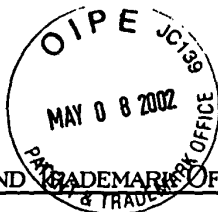
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 870.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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